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¶1. Economic officer delivered the subject demarche to Mr Geert Cockx of the Internal Markets Division at the Belgian Ministry of Foreign Affairs on November 7. Cockx was aware of the third maritime security package in general but not familiar with recognized organizations or with the USG concerns shared from reftel. He said he would ensure USG's points would be brought to the attention of Belgium's representatives involved in the conciliation process between the European Council and the European Parliament.

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